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Title: **SOLDER BALL COLLAPSE CONTROL APPARATUS AND METHOD
THEREOF**

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENTS OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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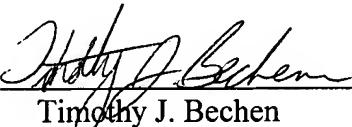
Applicant acknowledges the allowance of Claims 23, 27 and 28.

Although, Applicants respectfully submit that claims 18, 19, 24-26 and 29-31, recite limitations, which as a whole, are not disclosed, taught or suggested by any of the prior art references, either individually or in combination thereof. Furthermore, claims 18, 19, 24-26 and 29-31 contain further limitations not disclosed, taught or suggested by any of the prior art references, either individually or in combination thereof. It is further submitted that claims 18, 19, 24-26 and 29-31 contain further patentable subject matter in view of the prior art of record and are allowable not merely as being dependent upon an allowable base claim.

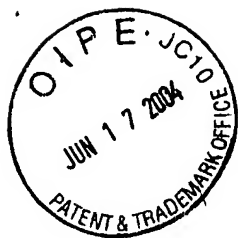
Should the Examiner have any questions or concerns, the Examiner is invited to contact the below-signed attorney to expedite the processing of allowed claims and the issuance of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 14, 2004

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith please find:

- ☒ Form PTOL85-B dated June 14, 2004, and duplicate;
- ☒ Fee Transmittal for FY 2004, and duplicate;
- ☒ Comment on Statement of Reasons for Allowance;
- ☒ Fee Address Indication Form; and
- ☒ Return Postcard.

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